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19 November 1958MEMORANDUM FOR: Mr. James Q. Reber  
TALENT Control Officer  
CIA

Subject: Request for Approval of TALENT Billets

1. It is requested that the following-listed positions be approved as OSD TALENT billets:

Staff Members (2), Weapons Systems Evaluation Group, Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense (Research and Development)

2. Dr. Stanley N. Van Voorhis and Colonel Carl P. Walter, USAF, staff members of WSEG, are working on several studies for the Joint Chiefs of Staff, or Assistant Secretary of Defense, Research and Engineering, which require this intelligence. One of these projects, for example, is the ECM defense against the Soviet ballistic missile threat. This project requires complete intelligence on the present and future Soviet ballistic missile programs and technical developments.

POSITION APPROVAL: *NOV 20 1958*  
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